

Roanoke , Town of
(Rinehardt Store)
Roanoke
Lewis County
West Virginia

HABS No. WV-209-M

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Location: Roanoke, West Virginia.

Elevation: ca. 1060'.

UTM References as given on the National Register of Historic Places Nomination form:

Zone: 17

Easting: 544050

Northing: 4309010

U.S.G.S. Map: Roanoke, West Virginia, 7.5' (1966 edition, photo revised 1979).

Present Owner: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Present Occupant: none.

Present Use: none.

Construction Date: ca. 1905-1930.

Informants: Bertha Brinkley; Ruth Posey Fox; Gordon Hall; Oliver "Peck" Posey; Blaine Rollyson, Jr.; James Whelan.

Historical Information: As in the case of other properties in the Roanoke National Register of Historic Places District, this lot, Lot 12, was part of a larger tract of land until 1873 when Joseph Hall sold William J. Godfrey and Draper C. Mitchell a 4 acre parcel near the confluence of the Sand Fork and West Fork rivers. On part of Lot 12, which became known as the Mill Lot, Godfrey and Mitchell constructed a gristmill and sawmill (Cook 1924: 19). Apparently between 1873 and 1883, they sold the mills to William A. Watson and Mildred Watson. In 1883, the Watsons sold the mills to Oliver Alkire and Jane Alkire, his wife. While they were owned by Alkire, these steam mills, which are reported to have been the first such mills in the Collins Settlement District of Lewis County, West Virginia, were destroyed by fire (Cook 1924: 19). In 1883, after Alkire is thought to have rebuilt the mill complex, it was sold to Joseph McCray (Cook 1924: 19). That the mill complex was owned by these people seems clear enough from the deeds, but the order of ownership conflicts somewhat with that noted by Cook (1924: 19). Moreover, only Alkire is listed in the tax records as owning the land, and he is shown as the owner of Lot 12 from 1883 to 1890.

Cook (1924: 19)

regarded the presence of this mill complex as the first "attraction" for the Roanoke area as a locus for settlement. As such, Joseph Hall, who had sold land for the mill complex to Godfrey and Mitchell, had William Peterson survey a tract of land in the vicinity of the mill for lots. Hall then began to sell lots in what became the village of Roanoke (Cook 1924: 19). The dates cited by Cook (1924) for the sale of some of this land and the Hall survey conflict with some of the deeds and tax records. It is clear, however, that Hall began to offer lots for sale in what eventually became Roanoke sometime in the 1870s.

TABLE
Ownership of Tract 1542

Grantor	Grantee	Date of Transaction	Cost	Acreage	Reference	Comments
Rebecca Oberstadt	Benjamin F. Marsh & Cesa H. Marsh	30 Nov. 1962	\$700.00	2 lots (adj. to I.O.O.F.)	Lewis County Deed Book 281: 278	Benjamin F. Marsh died intestate 22 Jan. 1973
Walter J. Nay & Ruth Nay James F. Nay & Ethel L. Nay (surviving heirs of Floda J. Nay, died 29 Aug. 1961)	Rebecca Oberstadt	25 Oct. 1962	\$1,000.00	2 lots	Lewis County Deed Book 281: 251	
J. P. Whitesel	Floda J. Nay	will probated 19 July 1919		2 lots	Lewis County Will Book E: 78	Property given to Floda J. Nay for duration of her life, then to her surviving children by will of father, J. P. Whitesel
Linn Brannon, Special Commissioner of Lewis County Circuit Court	J. P. Whitesel	11 Nov. 1905	\$275.00	1 lot (adj. to I.O.O.F.)	Lewis County Deed Book 60: 21	Petition to I.O.O.F. to sell adjoining lot
John H. Conrad	Roanoke Lodge 264 I.O.O.F.	6 April 1905	\$250.00	1 lot	Lewis County Deed Book 59: 41	
B. L. Hefner & M. J. Hefner J. W. Taylor & Marna Taylor	John H. Conrad	23 March 1905	\$250.00	1 lot	Lewis County Deed Book 59: 11	
A. J. McCray & Zelitha McCray	B. L. Hefner	13 May 1892	\$200.00		Lewis County Deed Book 25: 428	Whether A. J. and Zelitha McCray were Joseph McCray heirs is unknown

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Grantor	Grantee	Date of Transaction	Cost	Acreage	Reference	Comments
Oliver Alkire & Jane Alkire (wife)	Joseph McCray	26 June 1883	\$300.00	0.16	Lewis County Deed Book 14: 113	
William A. Watson & Mildred Watson	Oliver Alkire	7 March 1883	\$361.85	0.16	Lewis County Deed Book 13: 575	How Watson obtained the land is unknown
Lias G. Smith & Emily Smith (wife)	Julius C. Smith	30 Jan. 1874	\$1,000.00	Several lots including 1/2 of Lot 12	Lewis County Deed Book 3: 332	Julius Smith was a son of Lias G. Smith. How Lias Smith obtained the land is unknown. Steam-powered saw- mill and gristmill stood on Lot 12 in 1874 (see discussion of Tract 1540)
Joseph Hall	William J. Godfrey & Draper C. Mitchell	4 March 1873	\$100.00	4	Lewis County Deed Book 6: 501	
Michael G. Bush & Amelia Bush (wife)	Joseph Hall	20 Sept. 1847	\$1,100.00	86	Lewis County Deed Book N: 159	
John Sprigg & Elizabeth Sprigg (wife)	Michael G. Bush	23 Dec. 1825	\$1,200.00	91	Lewis County Deed Book C: 233	

TABLE
Tax Record for Tract 1542

Name	Year	Land	Value per Acre	Value of Land	Value of Improvement	Total Value	Comments
John Sprigg	1817	310 acres Sand Fork/ West Fork	\$.50			\$155.00	
	*1818 1819	310 acres Sand Fork/ West Fork	\$.50		\$150.00	\$609.00	
	1820-1823	310 acres Sand Fork/ West Fork	\$3.50		\$131.25	\$1,085.00	
	1824	310 acres Sand Fork/ West Fork	\$3.50				
	1825-1826	310 acres Sand Fork/ West Fork	\$3.50			\$1,085.00	
Michael G. Bush	1827	20 acres West Fork	\$3.50			\$70.00	From John Sprigg
	1828-1833 1834	91 acres West Fork	\$5.70		\$200.20	\$518.70	
	*1835	91 acres West Fork	\$5.70			\$518.70	
	1836-1839 1840-1847	91 acres West Fork	\$5.70 \$10.00			\$518.70 \$910.00	
	1848	86 acres West Fork	\$10.00			\$860.00	From Michael G. Bush
Joseph Hall	1849	86 acres West Fork	\$10.00			\$860.00	
	*1850	86 acres West Fork	\$10.00			\$860.00	
	1851	86 acres West Fork	\$10.00			\$860.00	
	*1852-1853 1854-1855	85 acres West Fork	\$10.00			\$850.00	
	1856	85 acres West Fork	\$11.00		\$350.00	\$850.00	
	1857-1858 *1859	85 acres West Fork	\$13.00		\$600.00	\$1,105.00	
	1860	85 acres West Fork	\$13.00		\$600.00	\$1,105.00	
	*1861	85 acres West Fork	\$13.00		\$600.00	\$1,105.00	
	1862-1867 *1868-1869	85 acres West Fork	\$13.00		\$600.00	\$1,105.00	
	1870-1872 1873-1874	85 acres West Fork	\$13.00		\$600.00	\$1,105.00	

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Name	Year	Land	Value per Acre	Value of Land	Value of Improvement	Total Value	Comments
	*1875						No listing for Godfrey and Mitchell or Watson
Julius C. Smith	1876	1/2 of Lot 12 (120 p)			\$250.00		120p may refer to 120 poles
Oliver Alkire	1876	1/2 of Lot 12			\$250.00	\$300.00	
	1877	1/2 of Lot 12 (120 p)			\$250.00	\$300.00	
		1/2 of Lot 12 (120 p)			\$250.00	\$330.00	
	1878-1880	1/2 of Lot 12 (120 p)			\$250.00	\$300.00	
		1/2 of Lot 12 (120 p)			\$250.00	\$300.00	
	1881-1882	1/2 of Lot 12 (120 p)			\$250.00	\$225.00	
		1/2 of Lot 12 (120 p)			\$250.00	\$225.00	
	1883-1891	1/2 of Lot 12 (120 p)			\$75.00	\$115.00	
B. L. Hefner		1/2 of Lot 12 (120 p)				\$29.00	
	1892-1894	Part of Lot 12, Roanoke					
	1895	Part of Lot 12, Roanoke			\$50.00	\$50.00	
	1896	Part of Lot 12, Roanoke			\$55.00	\$150.00	From Oliver Alkire
	1897-1901	Part of Lot 12, Roanoke			\$55.00		
	1902-1903	Part of Lot 12, Roanoke			\$30.00		
J. P. Whitesel	1904-1905	Part of Lot 12, Roanoke			\$300.00		
	1906-1908	Part of Lot 12, Roanoke		\$200.00		\$200.00	
	1909-1919	Part of Lot 12, Roanoke		\$300.00		\$300.00	
Floda J. Nay	1920	2 lots (#12-1)		\$500.00		\$500.00	
	1921-1922	2 lots (#12-1)		\$400.00	\$200.00	\$600.00	
	1923-1927	2 lots (#12-1)		\$400.00	\$500.00	\$900.00	
	1928-1929	2 lots (#12-1)		\$350.00	\$450.00	\$800.00	
	1930	2 lots (#12-1)		\$300.00	\$450.00	\$750.00	
	1931	2 lots (#12-1)		\$250.00	\$350.00	\$600.00	
	1932-1961	2 lots (#12-1)		\$200.00	\$280.00	\$480.00	
	1962-1963	2 lots (#12-1)		\$200.00	\$400.00	\$600.00	

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Name	Year	Land	Value per Acre	Value of Land	Value of Improvement	Total Value	Comments
Benjamin Marsh	1964-1966	2 lots (#12-1)		\$200.00	\$400.00	\$600.00	
	1967-1971	2 lots (#12-1)		\$360.00	\$1,490.00	\$1,850.00	
	1972	2 lots (#12-1)		\$360.00	\$2,180.00	\$2,540.00	
Cesa H. Marsh	1973-1975	2 lots (#12-1)		\$360.00	\$2,180.00	\$2,540.00	
	1976-1978	2 lots (#12-1)		\$400.00	\$2,200.00	\$2,600.00	

*Records Missing.

Returning to the discussion of Lot 12, it seems that McCray subsequently sold the property to B. L. Hefner, but it is not known whether or not a mill was operated on the property at this time. Often, tax records do list the nature of business conducted at commercial establishments, but this is almost never the case in that portion of the Lewis County, West Virginia, tax records examined during this study. What is clear is that in 1905 the owner of one portion of the original lot, John H. Conrad, sold his lot to the Independent Order of Odd Fellows who eight months later sold the parcel to J. P. Whitesel.

No improvements are listed for the lot during the Whitesel ownership; however, his daughter, Floda Nay, who inherited the lot in 1919, was taxed for improvements on the land for the year 1920.

Former residents of the village interviewed in the course of preparation of this report recalled that Jesse Rinehardt built a store on Lot 12 in the 1920s. Despite the fact that the lot was owned by Nay, Rinehardt operated a popular store on the property until the late 1930s. He sold groceries, building materials, etc., but not feed; he also carried special order items, such as stoves. The store was remembered for its oiled wooden floor and pot-bellied coal stove around which people congregated during the winter to discuss a wide range of both personal and community business (see *A Social History of Roanoke, West Virginia*). A storage room was located in the rear of the store, possibly in Room 5 (Bertha Brinkley 1981, pers. comm.).

A special feature of the store was the section where Mrs. Rinehardt sold hats; the discussion of local "goings-on" were as important series of topics as was the ultimate selection of the hat itself.

After the Rinehardts left the store in the late 1930s, Bennie Hore, an Englishman, operated the store for a short period of time and manufactured potato chips for sale (Blaine Rollyson, Jr. 1981, pers. comm.). In 1939 with the outbreak of World War II, Hore returned to England (Ruth Posey Fox 1981, pers. comm.). The store was operated during and shortly after the war by "Doc" Moore and his wife and then by several other persons including Rebecca Oberstadt who rented the property, apparently until she purchased it in 1962. One month after she purchased it from the heirs of Floda Nay, she sold it to Benjamin F. Marsh and Cesa H. Marsh (James Whelan, Oliver "Peck" Posey, Gordon Hall and Blaine Rollyson, Jr. 1981, pers. comm.).

The Marshes converted the store to a residence, and it remained their home until it was purchased by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. However, the period during which the structure was used as a dwelling could not be documented architecturally. The interior of the structure largely had been reduced to the "bare walls" by the Marsh family prior to the commissioning of this study.

From the appearance of the west elevation of the building, and particularly on the basis of the use of a parapet facade, one may conclude that it was built originally for use as a store. This conclusion is also reinforced by the presence of the prominent "store front" windows in the northern "half" of the west elevation. It seems therefore that it was the northern "half" of the structure (Room 1) that was used for commercial purposes. The southern "half" of the structure originally consisted of three contiguous rooms (i.e., Room 2, a combined room and a third room, Room 5) which were used as the residence of the store's operator. At some later time, possibly when the structure was used by the Marsh family as a residence (though this is far from certain), a partition wall was inserted creating Rooms 3 and 4.

From the information presented above, it is clear that the subject structure was owned and utilized by a number of Roanoke families over the years. In informant testimony, it was most frequently referred to either as the "Rinehardt store" or as the "Cesa Marsh home." For that reason, the structure is referred to in the remainder of this report as the Rinehardt store/Marsh residence.

Architectural Information:

General Description: The Rinehardt store/Marsh dwelling is a one story rectangular frame (German cove siding) structure with a double gable roof and a parapet west elevation; a porch extends across the west or front elevation. It is not dissimilar in some respects to rural store architecture detailed by Pulliam and Newton (1973).

Exterior Description :

Overall Dimensions: 36'5" x 48'6".

Foundation: The foundation of the building consists of a series of 34 wooden piers placed in parallel rows beneath each elevation as well as beneath the center of the structure; each pier measures ca. 7" x 8" and rests on sandstone blocks of various sizes. The piers are necessary to compensate for severe ground slope east and south of the structure generally toward the West Fork River .

Walls: The walls are composed of 5"-5 1/4" German cove siding painted white and attached with wire nails; the walls previously were painted red.

Framing: This is composed of light timber framing; 2" x 3 3/4" studs are employed on 2' centers.

Porch: A 5'8" wide x 32'6" long porch extends across the front or west elevation of the structure; the deck consists of 5"-9 1/2" wide unpainted boards and is supported on four sandstone piers. The shed roof of this porch, which is covered with rolled roofing, is supported by four square, white-painted (previously red) columns each of which measures 3 1/4" x 3 1/4". Immediately beneath the roof, there is a cornice composed of vertically applied 3 1/2" wide beaded boards .

A second porch previously existed along part of the rear (east) wall of the store over the Room 5 to exterior door.

Chimney: A stove pipe extends from the roof peak, offset toward the front (west) of the structure .

Roof: The roof is a low-pitch variety double gable type covered with both sheet metal roofing and rolled roofing or felt paper; 2" x 6" rafters on 2' centers are used throughout the structure; both eaves and raking trim employ the boxed cornice.

Interior Description: Room 1 (Room numbers are keyed to floor plan on page 26)

Function: originally, this was a general merchandise room for the Rinehardt store.

Dimensions: 21'6" x 44'9"; 11'5" ceiling (average height).

Wallcovering: 1/4" pressed paper board previously covered with furring strip battens; unpainted .

Floorcovering: 1 1/2" tongue and groove boards; oiled but otherwise unfinished .

Ceiling: 3 1/2" tongue and groove pine boards; unfinished .

Baseboard: 2" plain board; painted dark brown.

Heating: originally, a stove in the "center" of the floor (north to south axis) but offset toward the front (west) of the room.

TABLE
Tract 1542: Door Details

Position	Opening	Style	Hinge	Latch/Lock	Interior Surround Trim	Exterior Surround Trim	Threshold
Room 1 to Exterior	3' 1/4" x 6' 11 1/2"	2 panel (upper panel glass)	4" pin butt	mortise lock; previously a dead bolt rim lock	see comments for WEST WALL in Table 56		yes
Room 1 to Room 2	2' 10 1/4" x 6' 9"	door missing	--	--	4" plain boards (missing)	4" plain boards	no
Room 1 to Room 4	3' 8 1/2" x 6' 8 1/4" (doorway created by cutting away a framing stud)	door missing	--	--	4" plain boards (missing)	4" plain boards	no
Room 1 to Room 5	2' 8" x 6' 8 3/4"	door missing	--	--	4" plain boards (missing)	4" plain boards	no
Room 2 to Exterior	3' 6 1/4" x 6' 6 3/4"	4 boards with battens, covered on the exterior with diagonal beaded boards	4 1/2" strap	sliding bolt; previously had rim lock	3 3/4" plain boards	4 3/4" plain board jambs, cornice	yes
Room 2 to Room 3	2' 6 1/4" x 6' 7 1/2"	passageway	--	--	3" plain boards	1" plain boards (missing)	no
Room 3 to Room 4	2' 6" x 6' 6 1/4"	passageway	--	--	--	--	no
Room 4 to Room 5	2' 6" x 6' 4 3/4"	passageway	--	--	4 1/4" plain boards	3" plain board jambs; 4 3/4" header	no

Table (cont.)

Position	Opening	Style	Hinge	Latch/Lock	Interior Surround Trim	Exterior Surround Trim	Threshold
Room 5 to Exterior	2'8 1/4" x 6'7"	10 3 1/4" tongue and groove boards with off center surface grooves and 2 4 1/2" battens	4 1/2" strap	sliding bolt; previously had rim lock	5" plain boards	4 3/4" plain boards; cornice	yes
Room 5 to Exterior	closed	—	—	—	—	—	—

At roof peak on the exterior of the east wall is a small access door to crawl space above Room 1. This measures 1'6" x 1'6".

TABLE
Tract 1542: Window Details

Position	Style	Opening	Size of Pane	Number of Panes	Type of Sill	Interior Surround Trim	Exterior Surround Trim
NORTH WALL Left to right	awning	3' 1/4" x 3' 1"	33 1/2" x 17"	2	slip	2 1/4" clam mold	4 1/2" plain boards with stop
	awning	3' 1/4" x 3' 1"	33 1/2" x 17"	2	slip	2 1/4" clam mold	4 1/2" plain boards with stop
	awning (Figure 373)	3' 1/4" x 3' 1"	33 1/2" x 17"	2	slip	missing	3" plain boards
SOUTH WALL Left to right	single sash	3' 6" x 3' 7 1/2"	9 1/4" x 13"	6	slip	3 1/2" plain boards	4 1/2" plain boards with stop
	closed	35" x 68"	—	—	—	—	—
	awning	3' 1/4" x 3' 1"	33 1/2" x 17"	2	slip	2 1/4" clam mold	4 1/2" plain boards with stop
WEST WALL	awning	3' 1/4" x 3' 1"	33 1/2" x 17"	2	slip	2 1/4" clam mold	4 1/2" plain boards with stop
	closed	35" x 68"	—	—	—	—	—
	awning	3' 1/4" x 3' 1"	33 1/2" x 17"	2	slip	2 1/4" clam mold	4 1/2" plain boards with stop
	store front	Recessed doorway with windows across northern portion of facade (Figure 378); windows consist of two upper and two lower panes on each side of a recessed doorway which has one upper and one lower pane on each side of recess and one pane above the door; the panes of the windows adjacent to the recess measure 31 1/2" x 52 1/2"; panes of the windows in the recess measure 29" x 52 1/2", while the pane above the door measures 31 3/4" x 42"; surround material consists of 7/8" x 4 1/2" plain boards.					

Fireplace: none.
Plumbing: none.
Lighting and Electricity: duplex outlets on the south wall.
Other: there are store front platforms immediately inside the front (west) windows; unpainted.

Interior Description: (Room 2)

Function: Unknown.
Dimensions: 11'6" x 13'; 8'1" ceiling.
Wallcovering: 1 1/8" thick corrugated cardboard covered by wallpaper.
Floorcovering: 1 1/2" tongue and groove boards; central area of floor previously covered; area beyond central area painted plum.
Ceiling: corrugated cardboard covered with wallpaper.
Baseboard: none.
Heating: gas connection along south side of east wall.
Fireplace: none.
Plumbing: none.
Lighting and Electricity: central ceiling fixture; duplex outlet on south wall.
Other: 1" thick vertical board wall between Rooms 2 and 3.

Interior Description: Room 3

Function: Unknown.
Dimensions: 10'5" x 13'7"; 8'1" ceiling.
Wallcovering: corrugated cardboard covered with floral design wallpaper.
Floorcovering: 1 1/2" tongue and groove boards; central area previously covered; area beyond central area painted plum.
Ceiling: 5 1/2"-1' plain boards covered with burlap and/or fabric then with corrugated cardboard and wallpaper.
Baseboard: 5 1/4" plain board; painted white.
Heating: gas connection on south end of west wall.
Fireplace: none.
Plumbing: none.
Lighting and Electricity: central ceiling fixture; switch on west wall; duplex outlet on south wall.
Other: 1" thick vertical board wall between Rooms 3 and 4.

Interior Description: Room 4

Function: Unknown.
Dimensions: 13'6" x 13'6"; 8'2" ceiling.
Wallcovering: corrugated cardboard covered with floral design wallpaper.
Floorcovering: 1 1/2" tongue and groove boards; central area covered by linoleum; area beyond linoleum painted plum.
Ceiling: sheet metal (see below) and wallpaper of unidentified design.
Baseboard: 4 1/2" plain board; dark stained and varnished.
Heating: none.
Fireplace: none.
Plumbing: none.
Lighting and Electricity: central ceiling fixture; switch on north wall; duplex outlet on south wall.
Other: sheet metal on ceiling is actually J. M. Rinehardt store sign.

Interior Description: Room 5

Function: Unknown, but may have served general storage function.

Dimensions: 11'5" x 13'8"; 8'4" ceiling.

Wallcovering: pressed paper board covered by floral design wallpaper.

Floorcovering: 1 1/2" tongue and groove boards; central area covered by linoleum; area beyond linoleum painted gray.

Ceiling: pressed paper board with battens that divide the ceiling into square and rectangular areas.

Baseboard: 5 1/4" plain board; dark stained and varnished.

Heating: chimney opening in the southwest corner of ceiling.

Fireplace: none.

Plumbing: none.

Lighting and Electricity: central ceiling fixture; switches on south wall and adjacent to the exterior door on the east wall; duplex outlet on south wall.

Site:

General Setting and Orientation : The Rinehardt store sits back 11' from West Virginia County Route 19/24 and is located between the Oil Creek Road (West Virginia County Route 23) and the Old Weston and Gauley Bridge Turnpike (West Virginia County Route 23/5); the property is bordered on the south and east by the West Fork River and on the north by the Whitesel store/Odd Fellows Lodge .

Historic Landscape Design: The property displays a minimum of landscaping; a trumpet vine (Campsis sp.) extends across the length of the extant porch on the west elevation. Several iris (Iris sp.) plants are found along what appears to be the north property boundary. There are forsythia (Forsythia sp.) and quince (Cydonia sp.) shrubs along the entire south wall adjacent to the structure. At the rear of the building, on its east elevation, there is a forsythia (Forsythia sp.) bush near the Room 5 to exterior door

with a quince (Cydonia sp.) bush some distance away. Close to the bank of the West Fork River, large sycamore (Sycamore sp.) trees, their trunks covered with poison ivy (Rhus sp.) vines, shade the rear of the lot.

Outbuildings: none.

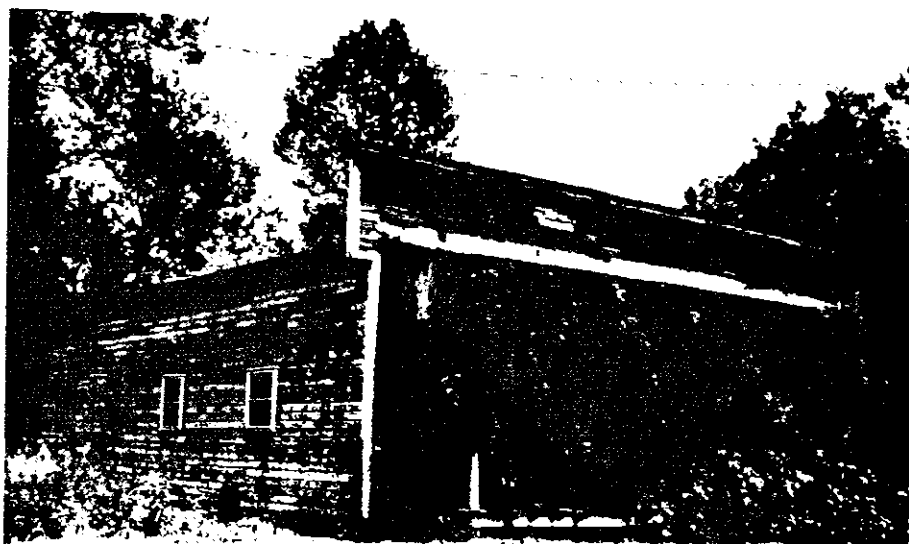
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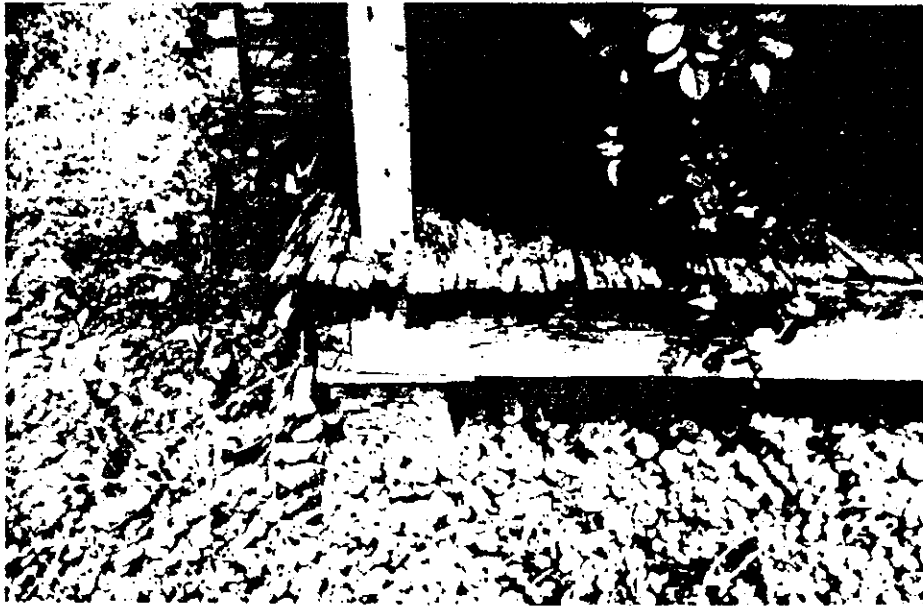
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Perspective control photograph of the west elevation of the Rinehardt store in 1981. This elevation fronts on West Virginia County Route 19/24. Note the trumpet vine (Campsis sp.) vine across this facade which almost obscures it.



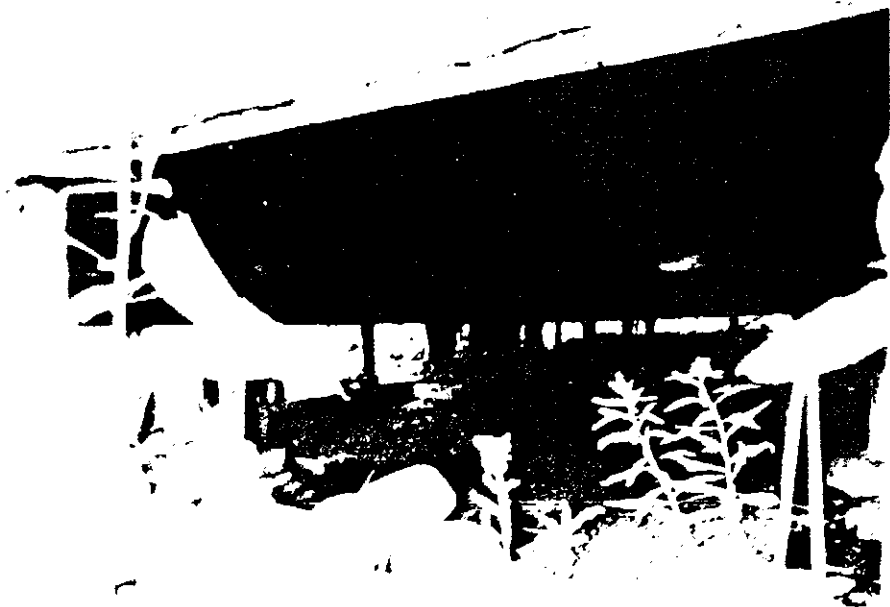
Perspective control photograph of the west and north elevations of the Rinehardt store in 1981. Note the parapet on the west elevation.



Close-up of northwest corner of porch on the west elevation of the
Rinehardt store in 1981.



Close-up of frame siding,
corner boards and parapet detail at the
northwest corner of the Rinehardt
store in 1981.



Foundation piers beneath the Rinehardt store
are 34 piers that support the structure.

in 1981. There



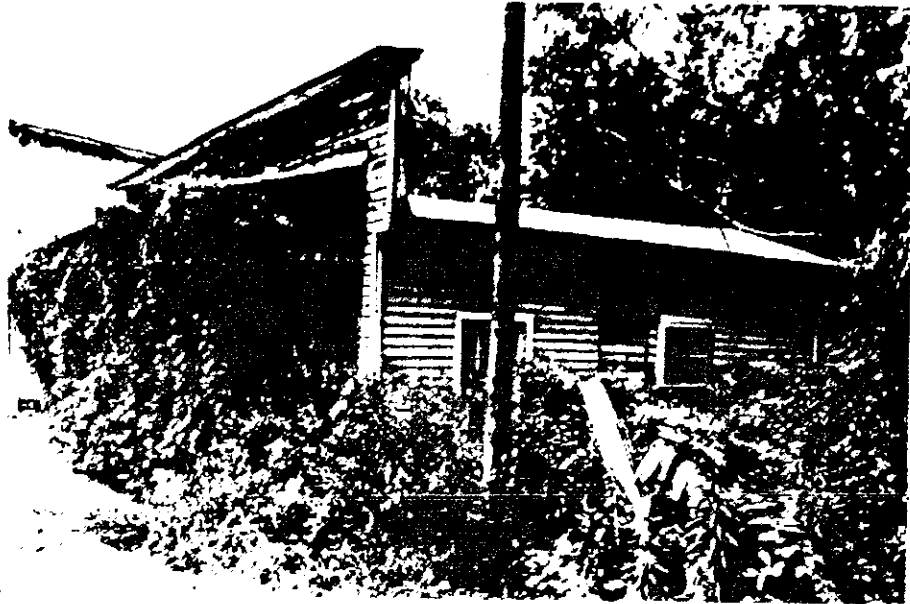
Close-up of the north and east elevations of the Rinehardt store
at a time of reduced vegetation in 1981. The ground slopes precipitously along
the east elevation. Note the crawl space
access door just below the peak of the gable on the east elevation.



Close-up of east elevation
of the Rinehardt store
in 1981 looking south. The darker area
in the center of the picture marks the
location of a former porch over the
Room 5 to exterior door



Close-up of exterior of
replacement window in the east wall
of the Rinehardt store
in 1981. Note the resizing that the
window opening has undergone.



store
Perspective control photograph of the south elevation of the Rinehardt
in 1981. At left is the Whitesel store/Odd Fellows Lodge



Close-up of the south elevation of the Rinehardt store in
1981. Note the modifications that have taken place in this elevation of the structure.



Close-up of the south-
west corner of the Rinehardt store
in 1981. Note the par-
apet as well as the dense growth of
trumpet vine (Campsis sp.) that covers
the porch.

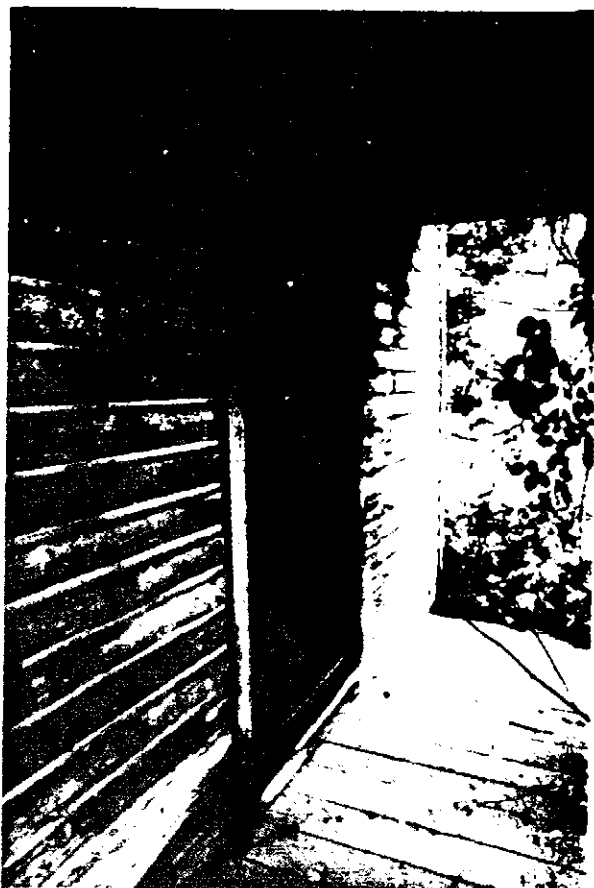


West elevation of the
Rinehardt store in
1981 looking north to south. The
detail of the porch roof construction
can be seen



Porch roof detail of the Rinehardt store
cornice beneath the porch roof.

in 1981. Note the



Close-up of the Room 2 to
exterior door at the south end of the
Rinehardt store in
1981.



Close-up of the main entrance to the Rinehardt store in 1981. In this photograph, the recessed store front and the attachment of the porch roof to the west elevation can be seen.



Close-up of the main entrance to the Rinehardt store



Room 1 to exterior door
of the Rinehardt store

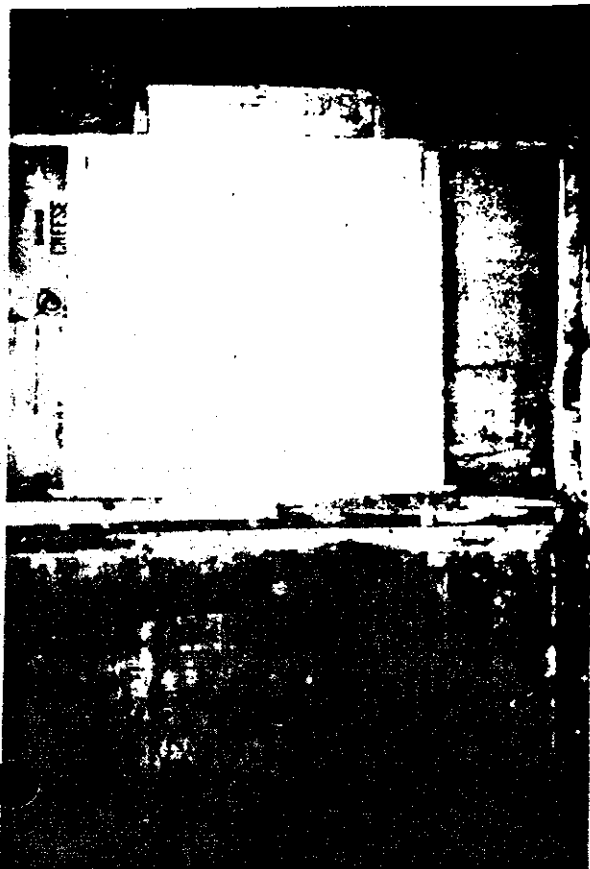


Close-up of store display area along west elevation of the Rinehardt store
in 1981. Note also the pressed paper wall covering on the north wall at
right. This is the sole type of wall covering used in Room 1. The latch/lock on the Room
1 to exterior door can be seen at left.

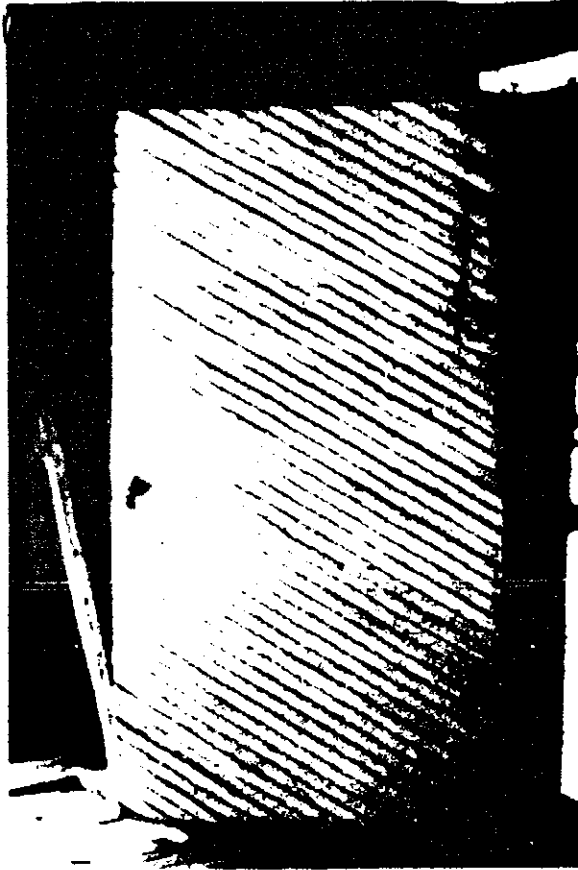


The interior of Room 1 in the Rinehardt store looking east. The doorways to Rooms 4 and 5 can be seen at right the modification evident in the window in the east wall

in 1981
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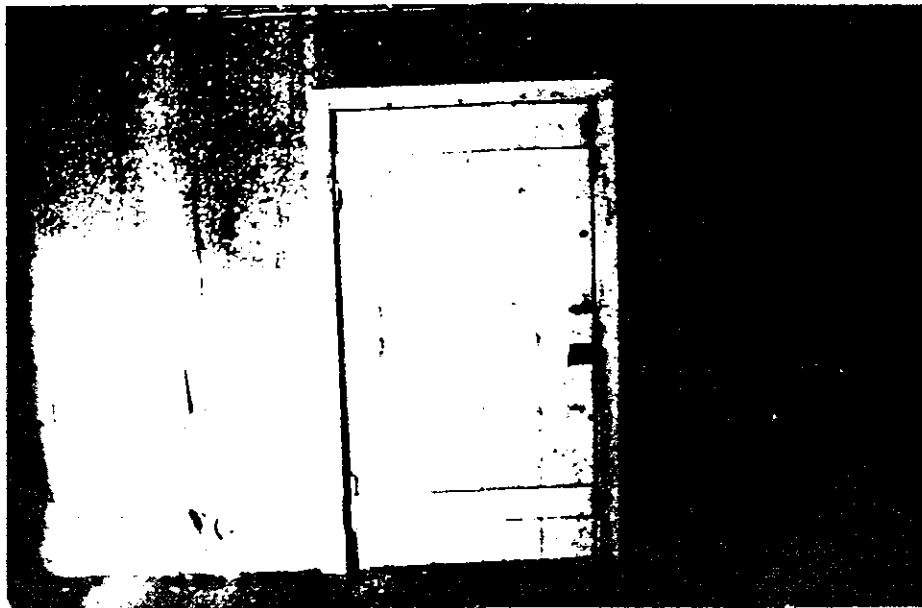


Close-up of remodeled window in the east wall of the Rinehardt store in 1981. Note the use of cardboard cartons as insulation material.



Close-up of exterior surface of diagonal simple-beaded board door from Room 2 to exterior of the Rinehardt store. The diagonal boards are applied to a four board, two batten door.

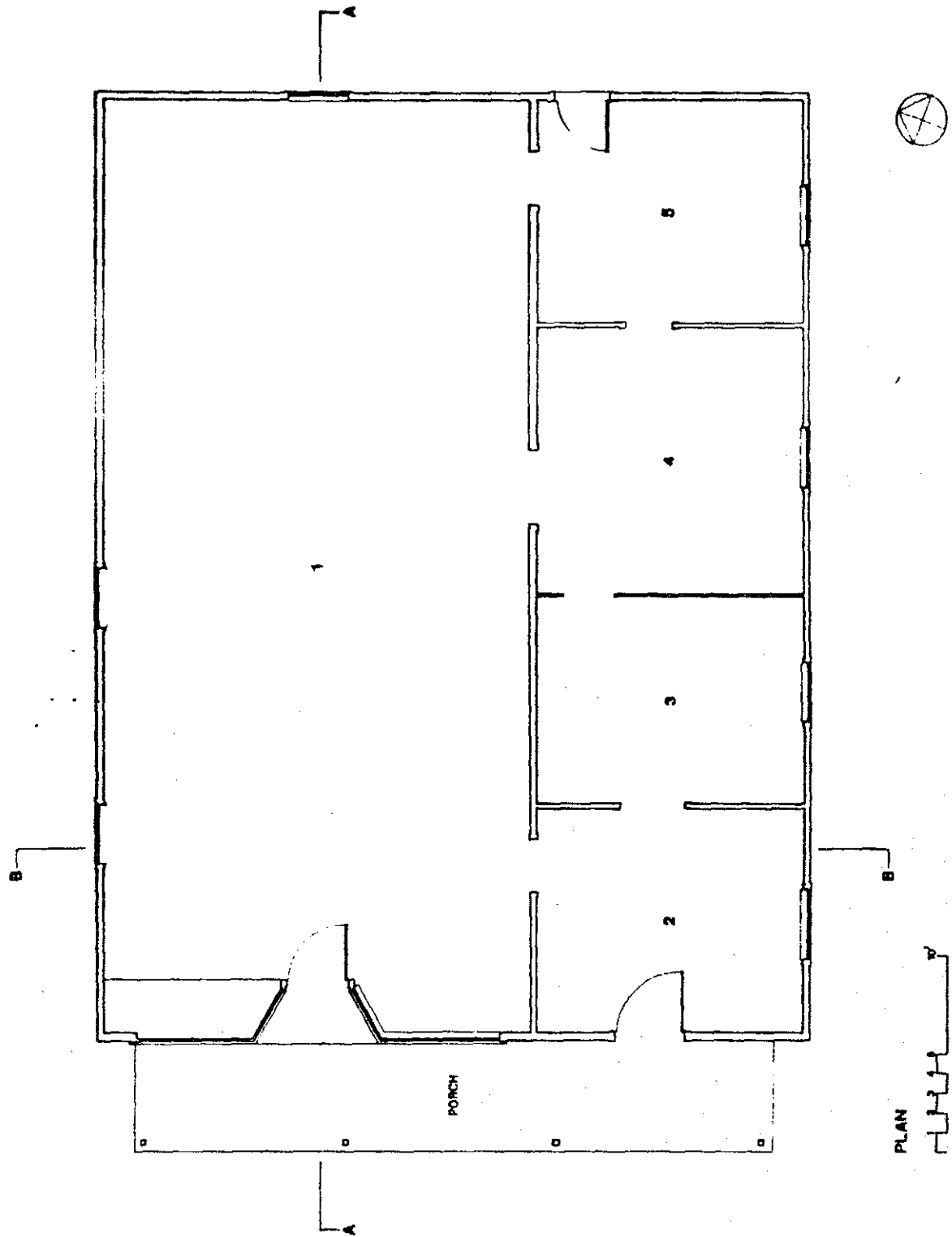
This door provides access directly to the dwelling portion of the structure.



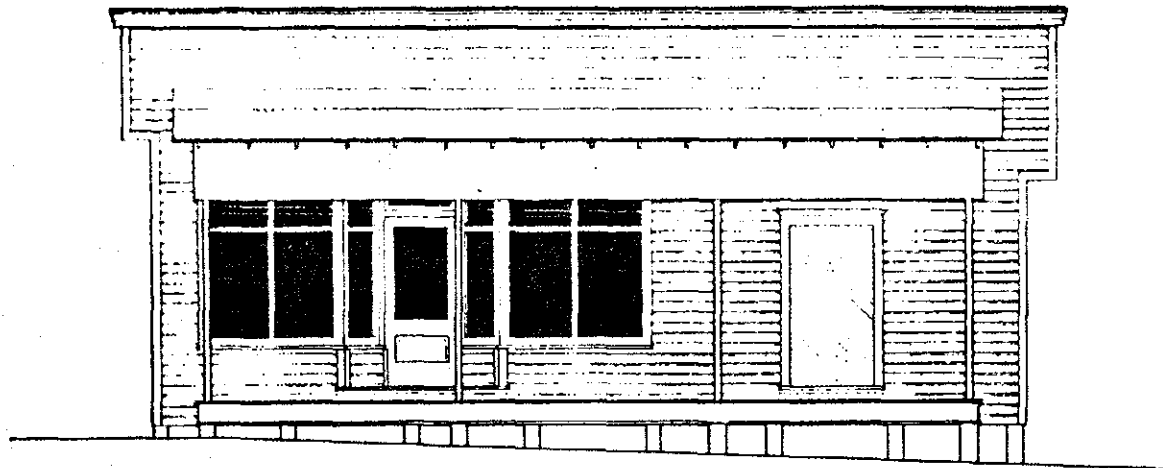
Close-up of interior surface of board and batten door from Room 2 to exterior of the Rinehardt store.



Close-up of Room 5 to exterior board and batten door in east wall of the Rinehardt store



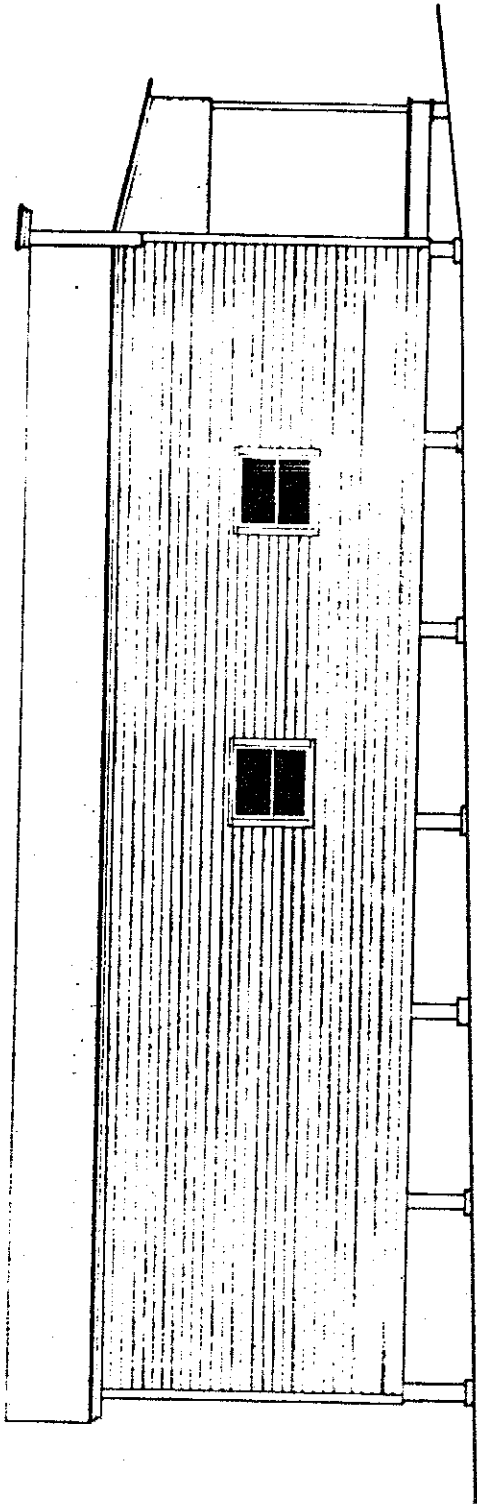
Floor plan of the Rinehardt store . Two enclosed windows along the south wall in Rooms 3 and 4 are not shown nor is the closed door in the east wall of Room 5.



WEST ELEVATION



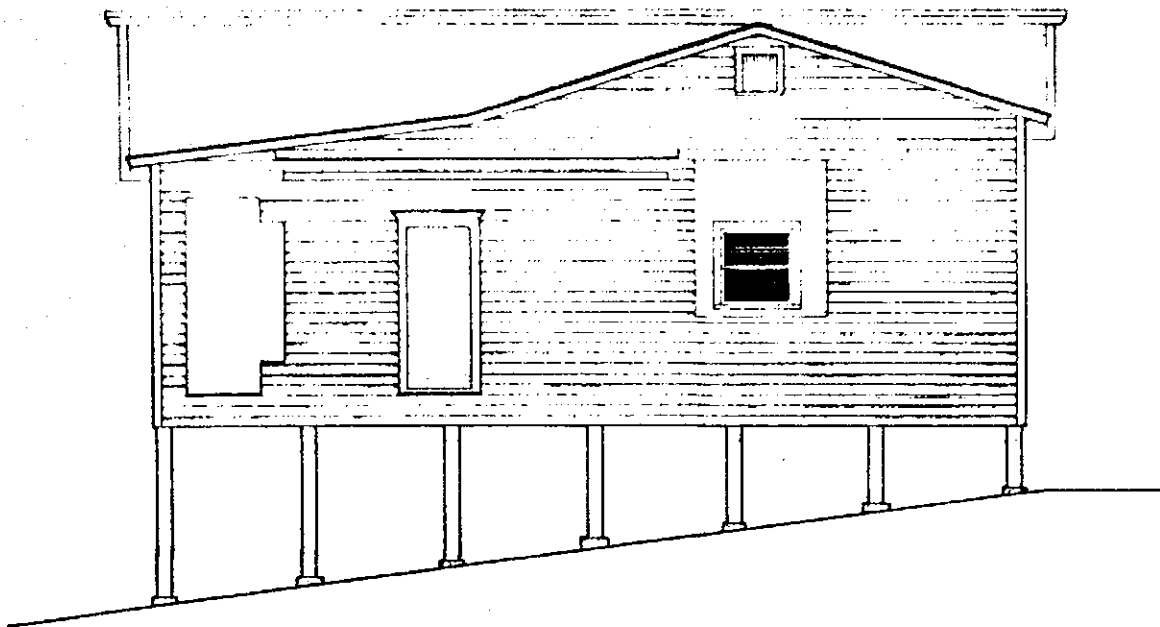
West elevation of the Rinehardt store



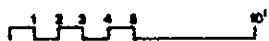
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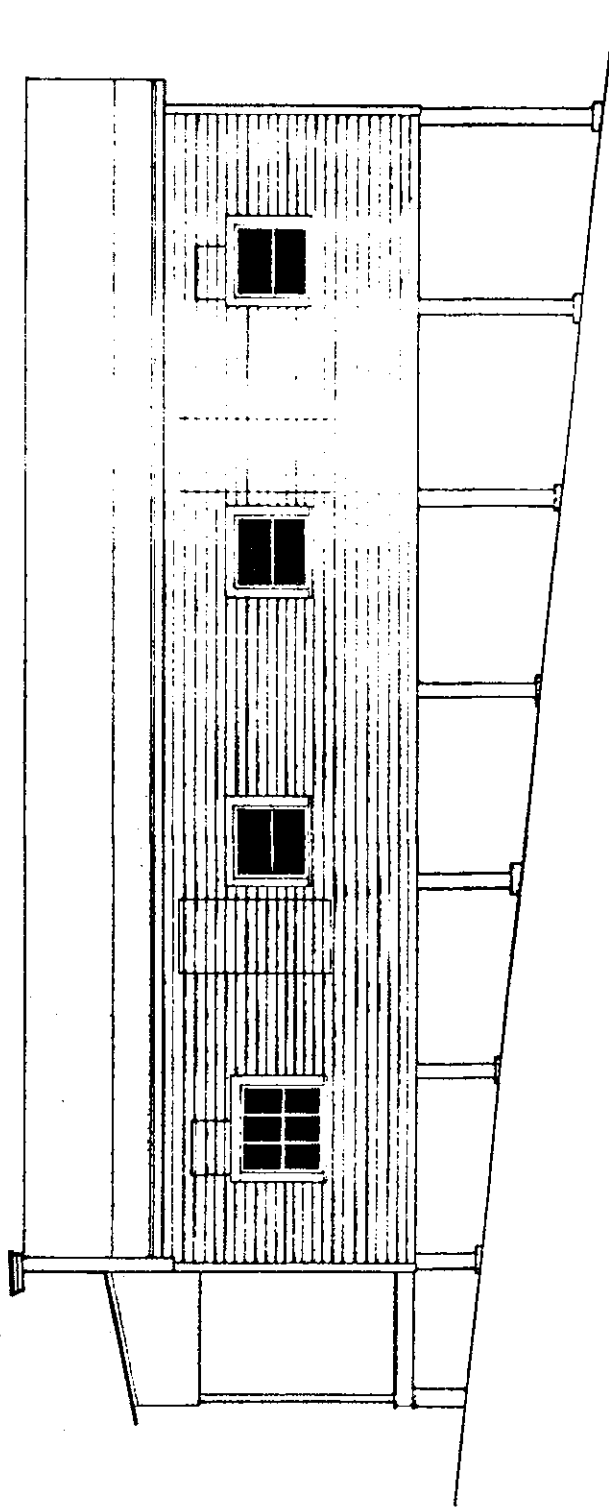
North elevation of the Rinehardt store



EAST ELEVATION



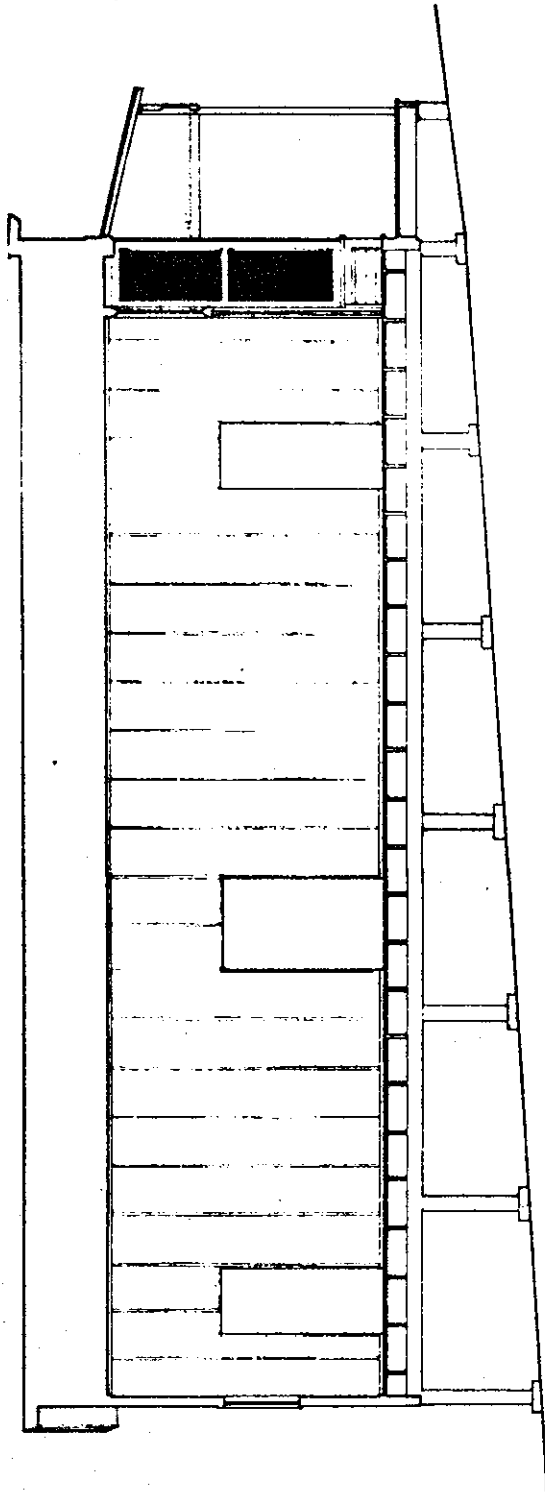
East elevation of the Rinehardt store



SOUTH ELEVATION

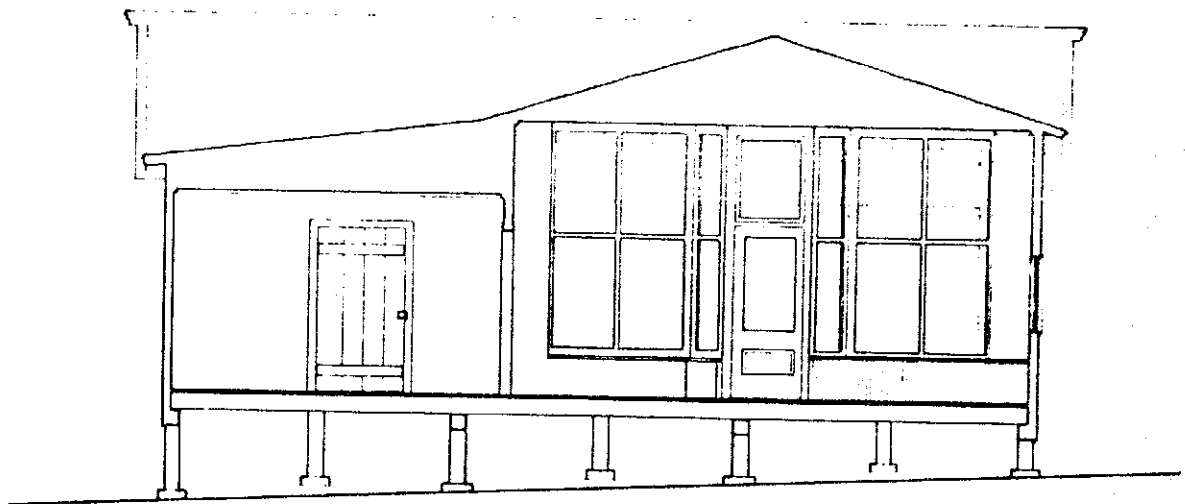


South elevation of the Rinehardt store



SECTION A-A
1 2 3 4 5 W

Longitudinal section (A-A) through the Rinehardt store



SECTION B-B



Transverse section (B-B) through the Rinehardt store